

## **AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Page 1 after the title, please insert the following:

### **CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION**

This application corresponds to German Application No. 103 07 622.0 filed February 22, 2003, which is herein incorporated by reference in its entirety.

### **BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION**

Page 2, before the first paragraph, please insert the following:

### **SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION**

Page 3, line 8, please insert the following:

### **BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS**

Page 3, line 20, please insert the following:

### **DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENT**

Page 3, lines 21-30, please amend the paragraph as follows:

Figure 1 illustrates a self-propelled work machine which, in the present exemplary embodiment, is designed as a battery electric counterweight fork stacker and has operating hydraulics (lifting cylinder and tilting cylinder of a lifting frame M arranged on the front side) and steering hydraulics (actuating a steered axle L arranged at the rear). The traction drive of the fork stacker has a drive axle A arranged at the front side, of which the basic structure emerges from Figure 2: